

Birmingham April 29<sup>th</sup> 1895

My dear Mrs. Tracy,

You will find with this a cabinet picture which I had taken several years ago. It is the only one I now have but if it is like the one you now have or if it is not satisfactory I will have another taken.

I had a rather pleasant journey to and stay in Florida owing principally to getting down to Lake Park and across to Apalachicola. But everywhere

the country shows the sorrowful result  
of the cold last winter.

Dr. Chapman was very interesting  
and very much pleased to have from  
you or rather of you. Except a little  
trembling of the hands and a good  
deal of deafness he looks very well.  
He was 85 last September.

I went to Apalachicola by a  
new route - viz - from Tallahassee to  
a town called Carabelle on the Gulf  
Coast by rail and thence by boat.  
It is now only about six hours from  
Tallahassee.

I do not believe that I told

you that one of those little boys  
you once saw at our house is  
engaged to be married to a very nice  
young lady - Miss Edith Minter - of  
Germantown. I am very much pleased  
with it. My son (Maurice) is now  
24 - the lady, 21. I am really  
quite foolishly happy over it.

With kindest regards I  
am very sincerely yours,

J. M. Aubrey